

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-10. (Cancelled).

11. (Currently Amended) A vibration motor, comprising:

a contact spring including[[:]];:

a support portion[[:]];:

a first intermediate portion having one end extending from the support portion;

a first bent portion extending from the end of the first intermediate portion opposite the end at the support portion;

a second intermediate portion having one end extending from the first bent portion, the second intermediate portion overlying and being spaced from the first intermediate portion;

a second bent portion extending from the end of the second intermediate portion opposite the first bent portion;

a third intermediate portion having one end extending from the second bent portion, the third intermediate portion overlying and being spaced from the second intermediate portion;

a third bent portion extending from the end of the third intermediate portion opposite the second bent portion; and

a contact portion having one end extending from the third bent portion, the [[a]] contact portion electrically connected to an external power supply terminal[[:]]; and

~~at least two bent portions connected between the support portion and the contact portion and having a bent shape[[:]]~~

a vibrating portion eccentrically rotating by power supplied from outside through the support portioncontact spring.

12. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the bent portions are constructed in a ~~semispherical~~ semicircular shape or '⌐' - shape.

13. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the width of each of the bent portions is different from each other according to their location.

14. (Original) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the bent portions have the same width.

15. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the width of the end of the contact portion is smaller than the width of the ~~part connecting to the~~ third bent portionsportion.

16. (Original) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the contact portion is bent with a given curvature

17. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein ~~the surface a fourth intermediate portion~~ connecting the contact portion to the third bent portion is ~~may be~~ sloped so as to prevent the third bent portion at the topmost side from contacting the a PCB surface of the external power supply terminal.

18. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the strain energy generated in the entire bent portions is stored dispersed in the ~~respective two or more~~ first, second, and third bent portions.

19. (Currently Amended) The vibration motor of claim 11, wherein the width of at least one of the intermediate portions ~~connecting surfaces~~ connecting the corresponding bent portions is at least partially smaller in width than the width of the corresponding bent portions.

20. (New) A vibration motor, comprising:
a contact spring including:
a support portion;
a contact portion electrically connected to an external power supply terminal; and
at least two bent portions connected between the support portion and the contact portion and having a bent shape, the width of each bent portion being different from each other according to their location; and
a vibrating portion eccentrically rotating by power supplied from outside through the contact spring.

21. (New) A vibration motor, comprising:
a contact spring including:
a support portion;
a contact portion electrically connected to an external power supply terminal; and
at least two bent portions connected between the support portion and the contact portion and having a bent shape, the width of the contact portion being smaller than the width of the part connecting to the bent portions; and
a vibrating portion eccentrically rotating by power supplied from outside through the contract spring.

22. (New) A vibration motor, comprising:
- a contact spring including:
 - a support portion;
 - a contact portion electrically connected to an external power supply terminal; and
 - at least two bent portions connected between the support portion and the contact portion and having a bent shape, the width of the at least one of the connecting surfaces connecting the bent portions is at least partially smaller width than the width of the bent portions; and
 - a vibrating portion eccentrically rotating by power supplied from outside through the contact spring.